City of Sunnyside Audit Finding History 2007-2019

The City of Sunnyside's trend over time shows audit findings from the Washington State Auditor's office as high as five in 2012 to a low of one. The City has made significant progress clearing some major issues in the past two to three years, but there is still work to be done.

Financial			Number	
Period	Audit Type	Report Date	Issued	Finding
	Financial &			The City of Sunnyside's internal controls over preparation of
2006	Federal	12/24/2007	1	financial statements is inadequate.
				The City has not effectively managed its operations, resulting in a
2011	Accountability	7/23/2012	3	decline of its financial condition.
				The City does not have adequate support to demonstrate that it
				properly allocated shared costs to restricted funds.
				The City does not have adequate oversight of financial operations to
				safeguard public resources (A/P & Payroll).
				The City did not have adequate internal controls over accounting
2011-2012	Financial	9/30/2015	1	and financial statement preparation to ensure accurate reporting.
				The City does not have adequate oversight of payroll operations to
2012	Accountability	3/20/2014	5	safeguard public resources
				The City does not have adequate oversight of disbursements to
				safeguard resources (A/P).
				The City of Sunnyside does not have adequate support for its
				allocation of shared costs to restricted funds.
				The City of Sunnyside lacks adequate internal controls to ensure
				utility bills and adjustments are accurate and supported, and
				delinquent accounts are actively pursued.
				The City does not have adequate oversight over pool activities to
				safeguard public resources.
	Financial &			The City did not have adequate internal controls over accounting
2013	Federal	9/30/2015	1	and financial statement preparation to ensure accurate reporting.
				The City lacks internal controls to ensure accurate reporting of
	Attestation			compensation and hours worked to the Department of Retirement
2014-2015	Engagements	9/1/2016	1	Systems
				The City of Sunnyside does not have adequate support for its
2015	Accountability	9/15/2016	1	allocation of shared costs to restricted funds.
				We (auditor) recommend the City strengthen internal controls over
				cash receipting to ensure adequate oversight and monitoring to
2015	Fraud	9/19/2016	1	safeguard public resources and compliance with City policies.
				The City did not have adequate oversight of payroll operations to
2016	Accountability	5/21/2018	1	safeguard public resources.
				The City's financial position places it at risk of not meeting its
2017	Financial	10/18/2018	1	financial obligations or providing services at current levels.
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2018	Financial	9/30/2019	1	financial obligations or providing services at current levels.